

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Stuart Bassine Serial No. 10/762,687 Filed: January 22, 2004

Examiner: Trieu, T. Docket No. MRS109

Art Unit: 3748

Title: Valve-Free Oxygen Concentrator Featuring Reversible Compressors

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME WITHIN THE FIRST MONTH

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), applicant respectfully requests that he be granted an extension of time for responding to the Office Action mailed December 16, 2005. A response is being filed herewith.

Payment of the fees of \$60.00 for the extension of time within the first month is enclosed.

If for any reason this Petition is found to be incomplete, or if at any time it appears that a telephone conference with counsel would help advance prosecution, please telephone the undersigned in Fort Myers, Florida at (239) 481-0900.

Respectfully submitted,

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## CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner of Patents Post Office Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on this 17<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2006.

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